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March 13, 2007

The Honorable Board of Supervisors
County of Los Angeles
383 Kenneth Hahn Hall of Administration
500 West Temple Street
Los Angeles, CA 90012

Dear Supervisors:

**REJECT BIDS
PROJECT ID NO. RDC0012247
SOUTH BAY BIKE TRAIL
SUPERVISORIAL DISTRICT 4
3 VOTES**

IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT YOUR BOARD:

Reject all bids received on November 14, 2006, for Project ID No. RDC0012247, South Bay Bike Trail, from 62nd Avenue to Culver Boulevard, in the Playa del Rey area of the City of Los Angeles.

PURPOSE/JUSTIFICATION OF RECOMMENDED ACTION

On November 14, 2006, 11 bids were received for this contract; however, the award was delayed while attempting to resolve permit issues. More than 90 days have passed since the bid opening, and the contractors are no longer bound to their prices. Also, the permit from the Department of Beaches and Harbors will not allow work until after Labor Day. Therefore, we recommend canceling this project and readvertising it at a later date.

A certified record of receipt of the bids and the original bid proposals as submitted by the bidder are enclosed.

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Implementation of Strategic Plan Goals

This action is consistent with the County Strategic Plan Goals of Service Excellence since it will allow Public Works to readvertise this project in the future and minimize the impact to bike trail users.

FISCAL IMPACT/FINANCING

The cost to readvertise this project will be minimal.

FACTS AND PROVISIONS/LEGAL REQUIREMENTS

The "Instructions to Bidders" included in the bid documents provides for the rejection of all bids by your Board if such action is in the best interest of the County.

ENVIRONMENTAL DOCUMENTATION

This action has no environmental impact.

IMPACT ON CURRENT SERVICES (OR PROJECTS)

The delay in constructing this project will have little or no long-term impact on current services.

CONCLUSION

Please return one adopted copy of this letter to the Department of Public Works.

Respectfully submitted,

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Director of Public Works

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cc: Chief Administrative Office
County Counsel
Office of Affirmative Action Compliance